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## SPARKS

"Forge thy tongue on an anvil of truth, and what flies up. though it be but a spark, shall have weight." --Pindar

> BY BURNIS K. LAWRENCE Publisher

THE END TO

. . . an outstanding football season came Friday night for the Hondo Owls as they lost a heartbreaker to the Rosebud-Lott Cougars.

Naturally, there was disappointment in Owl-land that the season ended one week sooner than hoped for, because all of us wanted to see Coach Nelson Bippert and his players have the honor of winning the State title.

But, before any of us armchair quarterbacks allow that disappointment to become verbase, let's remember no one can be more disappointed than the coaches and Owl players.

They have given the school, the city and all their fans an excellent season. Looking back on many football seasons I have covered in various other areas, I cannot recall ever having seen a group of boys who played harder, cleaner or with more determination to win.

Owls, you showed fine sportsmanship, great courage, and strong character all year long. Thanks for a terrific year!

To the seniors, we hope the best in the future, and we know if you meet the challenges of life like you have met the challenges of this football season, you will find success in whatever course you take.

To the underclassmen, we'll see you next year in what we know will prove to be another fine season.

#### A SLIGHT CHANGE

. . . has been made in the publication date of the special section on the 1971 Owl Football season. We previously announced it would be published the week following the final game. However, our Christmas edition will force us to delay until the December 30 issue. Somehow our limited working force cannot find the time to complete both at once and give each the attention it deserves.

#### COMMISSIONER IRA BARRON

. . . let me know Monday that the Owls had fine support from Devine. "We had a lot of Devine people at both the Refugio and Rosebud games," he said. Sorry about my oversight, Ira, I know the Owls appreciate all the support given by the Devine

#### I TAKE MY LIFE

. . . in my own hands when I repeat this story, but here goes.

Several weeks ago we attended the Cowboy-Jet clash at Texas Stadium. I had always heard the phrase that someone "did everything but sell popcorn at halftime."

Well, Patricia did just that. No, not everything; she sold popcorn. She and our youngest, Debbie, went to get some popcorn and Pat gave the boy a \$10 bill. He had no change so he left his basket and his badge with her to go after change.

While he was gone two people came by, got popcorn and dropped the quarters in Pat's hand. So when the boy came back, he was as surprised as she was when she returned his basket and money from sales. FIRE DEPARTMENT

. . . Chief Charlie Lutz tells me their annual fund drive is doing right well, thanks to a responsive public, and especially to Universal Rundle.

Tuesday, U-R presented the department a check for \$750 and this marked the second check in about three months. The other was for something like \$330. So that's over \$1,000 in genorisity from a company Please turn to Page 2



## Bake top entries

Her White Chocolate Cake won Mrs. Samuel Zerr, left, the silver tray for Best Award of the recent Pecan Baking Show held in Hondo. Mrs. Floyd Saathoff won the rosette ribbon for Reserve Award with her pecan pie. (Photo by Rev. Victor Schmidtzinsky)

## Pecan, Bake Show hailed as success

Perhaps the most impressive array of trophies and ribbons ever to grace Hondo City Hall was viewed by many visitors at the second annual Winter Garden Area Pecan Show and the pecan baking show topped by the crowning of Medina County pecan queen on Dec. 7-8.

Marvin Harris of Eagle Pass, with his entry of Wichita pecans, won the Grand Champion awards, includia handsome plaque of pecan wood in the shape of a pecan, a shield plaque and rosettes, for his In-Shell nuts with the highest percentage of kernel, 64. 20 percent, with 39.39 nuts to the pound.

Clarence P. Wurzbach of Rio Medina had the Grand Champion Shelling pecan and his Elliott pecans were the Reserve Grand Champions of the show with 55, 62 percent kernel, 50.04 nuts to the pound.

Reserve Champion of the In-Shell class went to Father Victor Schmidtzinsky of Holy Cross Catholic Church, D' Hanis, with his Imperial, which scored 58, 60 percent kernel and 24, 37 nuts to the

Reserve Champion Shelling pecan, a San Saba, was the entry of Dan McCrea and Son of Yancey scoring 58, 75 percent and 69.97 nuts to the pound.

Henry Schirmer of Castroville exhibited the Champion native with 59.07 percent kernel and 60, 05 nuts to the pound.

He also had the heaviest native with 45, 15 percent and 47.72 nuts to the pound, and the lightest native with 52, 64 percent kernel and 141, 4 nuts to the pound.

Each of the top winners received a handsome plaque in the shape of a shield, as well as rosettes, and numerous other winners received ribbons, all of which were contributed by Harold Chilton of Uvalde, representative of Central Power and Light Company.

There were 96 entries in the show, five more than last year, and all were from Medina, Uvalde, Dimmit and Maverick Counties. The other seven counties in the area had no entries.

All winners in the area show automatically were entered in the South Texas Re-

gional Pecan Show in Wonderland Shopping City, San Antonio, Dec. 14-16.

Following the pecan judging, Lynda Howard, 17, of \*\* Please Turn To Page 3

## County approves tax rate

Approval of the 1972 tax rate for Medina County Monday by the Commissioners Court presented county taxpayers another year without an increase in taxes.

The \$1.12 rate was the same one used the past two years, with a breakdown showing 32 cents for the state rate and 80 cents for the

Based on an assessed valuation of \$28, 905, 590 the county will derive some \$231, 244, 72 in taxes. The state will receive \$75, 478, 40 in taxes on an assessed valuation of \$23, 585, 120.

Other entities to receive tax money include: Edwards Underground Water District, \$4,373,26; Bond 3, \$9,380-.39; F. M. &L. R., \$70, 755-. 39; and City of Natalia, \$3,727.76. This gives a county-wide tax total of \$394, 953, 92.

Values in the county are based on: Resident Roll --\$19,547,050; Unrendered Roll--\$5, 999, 165; Railroad, etc. -- \$897, 480; State and National Banks -- \$273, 770; and Public Utilities -- \$2, -188, 125.

Williamson also announced that on special occasions the curfew hours might be changed. "These occasions will be requested by a special board of young people set up for this purpose, and

and rule on it.

Another innovation which will involve the young people is a board of five members elected from the 20 officers to review misdemeanor cases committed by teenag-

we will review the request

"This board will review every case involving teenagers and make recommendations to us and the courts as to what action should be taken, "Williamson said.

In fear that some of the constituted authority which cannot be delegated would be weakened by such action, the Council at first showed reluctance in accepting the recommendation.

But after Williamson assured them that in no way would this endanger his control of the constituted law, the Council gave him its blessing to try the plan.

## Lions Turkey Shoot all set

It's Turkey Shoot time in Hondo come Sunday, December 19, and the Hondo Lions Club wants everyone to come out and take home a turkey.

The Shoot gets underway at 12 noon at K&B Drive In with each shot costing \$1. "There will be 10 shooters each round and the nearest the target gets a turkey." says Fred Graff, chairman in charge of the event.

"This means there will be turkey given away for about every \$10 in shooting, " he said. "And remember, in

addition to getting yourself a fine turkey for Christmas dinner, your money will go to a very worthwhile cause -the Hondo Lions Club Scholarship Fund.

This will be a shotgun shoot and the Lions Club will furnish the guns and the

The Lions also will give away a fine . 243 rifle during the big shoot. "Come on out and win a turkey, perhaps a rifle, and help us send some worthy youngster to college, " Graff said.

## City seeks flood control insurance

A resolution to make application to the Federal Government for Flood Control day night by the Hondo City

Council

passes

curfew

A curfew for all persons

Curfew hours will restrict

from 11 p. m. to 5 a. m. Sun-

day through Thursday and 1

a. m. to 5 a. m. Friday and

ing these hours will be de-

to be out. Fines can run

officers at Hondo High

from \$5 to \$200.

is needed.

tained and their parents will

be filed on for allowing them

"Such a curfew has been

discussed with the 20 student

School, " Police Chief Jerry

Williamson told the Coun-

cil. And they are in agree-

ment that something like this

Youngsters found out dur-

under the age of 18 was set

Tuesday night in an ordi-

nance voted by the City

movements of youngsters

Council.

Once granted the program

would allow building owners in a designated flood area to purchase insurance at a low Insurance was approved Tues- rate subsidized by the gov-

the same time, place restric-

Commerce.

rounds on Saturday night.

The State of Texas has

taken a tough stand against

water pollution, and Medina

County Commissioners found

out Monday how tough that

stand will be monitored by

Dan Carter with the Wa-

places on installation of sep-

tic tanks in the Edwards Un-

derground recovery and re-

He said he was making a

study of all counties in the a-

rea to determine what orders

sued on septic tanks and how

Medina County has such

an ordinance and its restric-

tions are being monitored by

der the supervision of Dr. W.

S. Duty, County Health Of-

"There must be a permit

ficer. Raymond Jankowski

serves as field man for the

for every septic tank in-

stalled in this area and each

health unit.

the County Health Unit un-

these were being enforced.

or ordinances they had is-

charge zones.

ter Quality Board discussed

restrictions the Board Act

the Texas Water Quality

tions and limitations on futions will be included in a new City Ordinance which

ture construction in that designated area. These limitawas approved by the Council

The program would, at Tuesday night at the same

Christmas Lighting

to be judged Sat

planned to do? Is it done? All ready?

How about that Christmas lighting you

Then don't forget to enter it in the Christ-

mas Lighting contest co-sponsored by the Hon-

Entry deadline will be at 4 p.m. Friday,

They will judge four categories--children,

Trophies are waiting for first place winners

in the children, doors and yards. Second and

Oh, yes, if you are not quite finished,

then hurry, for that deadline is tomorrow (Fri-

December 17, and the judges will make their

business houses, doors and yard displays.

third place winners will receive ribbons.

Septic tank

rules heard

square foot area with a 10, -

000 square foot buffer zone. '

place the Board Act regula-

tions as to pertaining to sep-

tic tanks in the county ordi-

nance, "so there will be no

doubt in anyone's mind that

and has the authority to back

The Water Quality Board

representative said, "wheth-

er there is a problem from

septic tanks is a matter of

how you interpret the data.

A survey following the big

of contamination. Other

But we are certain there is

a potential danger of pollu-

Medina County charges

The Board order applies

to entire county but the Ed-

stringent regulations. "We

have to be concerned with

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no fee for septic tank per-

mits, while other counties

are assessing a \$20 fee.

wards area carries more

tion."

rains showed some evidence

than that data is insufficient.

the county means business

Carter suggested the Court

Carter said.

do Garden Club and the Hondo Chamber of

time the resolution was approved. Ten points in the ordi-

nance will control new construction in the area, thus allowing the city to direct a planned and orderly future development in the area.

Existing buildings and homes in the designated flood area will be eligible for the low insurance without any change having to be made in the structure.

Rates will run 40 to 50¢ per 100 coverage on single family dwellings up to \$17. -000. Multiple family units would run up to \$30,000. Contents can be covered up to \$5,000 for an additional 50-60¢ per \$100 coverage on both of these.

Small business structures also can be covered under this insurance. The rate would be 50 to 70¢ per \$100 coverage and contents up to \$5,000 would run \$1,00 per \$100. Insurance can be purchased from any agent the owner selects.

It will take approximately six months from the time the formal application is made until a survey can be made of the area and it can be designated as a flood control area.

Other Action

Mrs. C. Allison of Austin made a request to lease Building 1408 next year for the purpose of forming a corporation that would manufacture and distribute items of jewelry.

Mayor George Brucks reminded Mrs. Allison that when she was a leasee before with a ceramics company, a bill of \$2,010,80 was left owing the city. He said when this bill was cleared up the Council would deem it proper to discuss leasing arrangements.

"This is a stock company, a brand new company,' Mrs. Allison said. "And we certainly wish to clear up this matter. "

In departmental reports several interesting items were revealed:

Lloyd Hermes said that "the flood damages are beginning to show on our streets. We have used 30 tons of pre-mis this month. Also, I don't know what has caused the increase but vehicles are going to the dump grounds at an average of 34

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## To march for charity

Young people of Hondo, led by the St. John's CYO, will stage a march Tuesday to Tarpley to raise money for a local charity. Some of those who will march gathered for this pic-

ture and to hear details on how money raised will go toward helping a local family. (Photo by Tony Men-

Thanks for the material at Seguin. Tried to see you in the crowd but missed.

The Owls did their best. but those Rosebuds had to many thorns to pick. I was proud of the way

the Owls kept slugging away with only seconds to go. The band looked great,

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Many Medina County

Livestock producers are in

the process of deciding what

According to Glenn Bragg,

kind of supplement to feed

County Agricultural Agent,

feeds supplying low cost pro-

are of real economic concern

their cattle this winter.

tein and low cost energy

Castroville

Dear Santa.

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a bycicle map cap Molly a big candy cane baby tender love and other things. Love

Lynda J.

P. S. My birthday is Dec. 20. I'll be five.

> Star Route Box 15A Castroville. Texas,

a saddle

Dear Santa, I want you to bring me

a bycicle and something else one thing Please come tonight and please fill our

s tockings.

**Medina County - Hondo** 

This is one of the Texas courthouses, a disappearing

breed. On the average, two burn or are torn down

Love Laura J. P. S. bring Lynda Lee somein supplemental cattle feed-

"Now here is two of my big bucks, and the other two are

in the glove compartment!"

Medina County Agent's notes

Some proteins sources may cost more per hundred pounds, but they are less expensive when the cost per pound of digestible protein is calculated.

Fox example, the present cost of cottonseed meal is \$4, 40 per hundred and the cost of soybean meal is 5, 20 per hundred. The crude protein of cottonseed meal is 41 percent while 32,5 percent is digestable. On the other hand soybean meal is 44 per-

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cent crude protein while 43 percent is digestible.

If a producer feeds cottonseed meal as his source of protein, he is paying 13.5 cents for a pound of digestable protein. If he feeds soybean meal, he is paying 12.1 cents for a pound of protein.

By Ace Reid

Producers should determine the cost per pound of protein in whatever supplement he is considering and feed the cheapest source.

In most commercial mixes digestible protein is not available. In this case the cost per pound of crude protein should be used in selecting a supplement.

There is an extension publication L-916 "Supplemental Feeding of Beef Cattle" available in the County Extension Office that gives the protein contents, both crude and digestible of various

#### feeding materials. My Neighbors



"I get 'em to exercise in there, by heavens!"

#### More about . . .

Continued From Page 1 \*\* Sparks

that is grateful to have this protection. How about our readers? Do you still have the solicitation card around the house? Then by all means fill it out and send in a contribution today.

#### LOST AND FOUND

. . . items sure were plentiful after the game in Seguin last Friday. We have a wind-breaker in the Anvil Herald office: Mrs. Granville Knowles says her son found a Medina Valley ring which she has; and Mrs. Chuck Hackebeil found a man's glove. So, if you read this -- claim them now.

#### TEST OF A NATIVE

. . . was given to Andy Patterson by the Hondo Chamber of Commerce committee selecting the Outstanding Citizen. Or it would seem so by the remarks Chuck Hackebeil made when making the award presen-

Alluding to the well-known fact that in most small towns one is not considered a native until he can prove some 25 to 30 years residency, Hackebeil said about An-

"Like myself, he is not native to the community, having arrived on the scene in the middle fifties; however, through patient, hard work and mastering the language, 'I tink maybe pretty soon already yet he vill qualify as nearly native.' '

#### ONE AWARD

. . . we failed to run in last week's issue was the Soil Conservation Award given to Alfred Wiemers. That oversight is being corrected this week, Mr. Wiemers. The editor finally got all his pictures sorted

#### ANOTHER MISTAKE

. . . that turned my face red was in a front page story about E. J. Chapa opening a new location.

This error proves how much influence one's children have on the mind. Mrs. Chapa's name is Hilda. Their daughter is Norma Jean, and is a good friend of our two. So around the house I hear Norma mentioned a lot.

Thus, when I wrote the story the name that came out was the name I hear most, and that proved to be the wrong one. So, Mrs. Chapa and Norma, I've switched your names back to the right person.

#### A NEW SUBSCRIBER

. . . is Mr. John T. Deckert of San Antonio. The 89-year-old former resident of this area told his daughter, Mrs. E. B. Walters of Uvalde, he wanted to read the Anvil Herald. So her husband dropped by to oblige him, and we added another subscriber to our arowing list.

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out-of-town store, we all lose a little.

How do we figure this? Well, who pays the lion's share of taxes in our community after the oil industry and utility companies? - it is your local merchants, of course. The nice store, air-conditioned for your comfort, the parking area, all add up in taxable improvements. These taxes pay for your schools, your city and your county governments.

Every dollar which is given to a merchant in another area has a part which ends up paying the taxes in that area. If enough money is spent in that area, it is conceivable that they might even get a tax cut — a rare thing today. But what about the folks back home?

When our people trade away from home and their dollars leave this area never to return, our business community cannot improve. Buildings and equipment depreciate and this downward trend shows up on the tax rolls. Then who must make up the difference? Why is there reevaluation of taxable property? Because values change. If our people are spending money away from home, they change for the worse. If a merchant is successful and adds to or improves his business, the tax valuation rises

So when you go shopping in the city, think — did you look at home first? Are you really saving that \$1.98 when you drove sixty or more miles one way to shop? What if your purchase requires maintenance? Can you call on good old Joe to send his men out to service your new appliance, even though you didn't trade with him originally? Will he still be in business here?

If you have been ill-treated in a store, did you tell the manager? If you find prices out of line, have you written the company and told them where the price was more reasonable (for the same brand or manufacturer's num-

Many times one finds a cheaper article but it is not the same quality. When you compare price, be sure you are comparing comparable items. If size or color or other facts make shopping in Beeville impossible, then you have an excuse to order elsewhere, but give yourself and your neighbors a break and try to find your needs in Beeville first. If we did, quantity buying could lower prices!

Beeville Bee-Picayune —Fred Latcham

### More about . . .

## Septic tanks

sewage installations outside the Edwards area and one must establish a system of enforcement, " Dr. Duty pointed out. "But with all the federal building areas with their own rules, which regulations do we follow."

"The State act," Garter

The Board order calls for a perculation test on each septic tank installation. This is the responsibility of the owner or developer. Then they must contact the County Health Unit for inspection.

Dr. Duty told the Commissioners. "We must have some standardized system to enforce these laws. Right now we are keeping up, but with one sanitarian, who does many other tasks such as inspecting beer taverns, cafes, etc., we cannot handle the load if this reaches any magnitude."

Carter pointed out that cities of more than 5,000 population are presently authorized to establish a specific department to enforce sanitation requirements within the city. At the present time the City of Hondo has no such specific department.

Carter also said the time is coming when there will be a state-wide standarized

septic tank regulation. He also pointed out the law is enforceable to the tune of \$1,000 per day for violations of its requirements. Counties responsible for this enforcement, " he added.

Commissioners and Judge Jerome Decker wanted to know if the state provided any funds for inspection and enforcement of the regulations, to which Carter had a brief answer. "No."

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Judge Decker told the Court and Carter, "We certainly don't want to be a party to polluting the Edwards Underground Reservoir. And right now with Dr. Duty's assurance we are adequately protecting this area. But if building in the area increases, we must be prepared to do whatever is necessary to control it."

He also asked the Court's opinion on what to do with any possible violators. Commissioner Ira Barron said, "We will have to file on them, or tear up our ordinance. '

The Court has County Attorney Frank Vance checking the ordinance, which also requires sub-division developers to file plats of such sub-divisions with county and agree to do certain things on streets, drainage and sewage disposal.

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More about . . .

## Pecan Show

Devine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Howard, was crowned Pecan queen of Medina County and was officially presented to the audi-

Debra Jones of Devine was first runner-up and Debbie Cheney of D'Hanis, second runner-up.

In the Pecan Baking Show, sponsored by Medina County Home Demonstration Council, there were 65 entries of cakes, pies, cookies, candy and novelty dishes, each made with at least one cup of pecans.

Mrs. Mary Belle Zerr of D'Hanis was awarded Best of the Show with her white chocolate cake and received an engraved silver tray from Holy Cross Catholic Church.

Mrs. Floyd Saathoff of Hondo with Elsie's pecan pie, was Reserve Best of Show, and received an attractive

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ribbons, were awarded by Medina Agriculture Products Company of Hondo.

In the Adult class, first place for cookies was awarded to Mrs. Saathoff; first in candy to Mrs. V. B. Alexander of Devine for her pralines; first in cakes to Mrs. Zerr; first in novelty dishes to Mrs. Donald Muennink of Hondo for her buttermilk pecan chicken.

In the Junior class, first place for cookies was awarded Chris Cole of Yancey for his praline cookies; first in cakes to Douglas Cole of Hondo for his moist prune cake; first in novelty dishes to Vicky Gilliam of Hondo for her cheese ball; first in candy to Valerie Lyn Cole of Hondo for her praline confections; first in pies to Jeanette Alevoet of Hondo for her butterscotch brownie pie.

"ando Anvil Herald, Thurs. Dec. 16, 1971, Pg 3 More about . . .

### \*\*\* City seeks

per day right now."

Elmer Faseler said that since the city made garbage pickup mandatory at every utility connection the stops by personnel have increased 40 percent.

Fred Johnson said that consumption of electricity was off from last month, but still 200,000 KHW over last

November. This gave a \$10,000 increase over the same period. "Industrial activity accounts for most of this, " he said.

Fritz Leinweber said Gary Aircraft Corp. wants to build a new building just south of Hanger 2 so that they can be placed in operation. Known as the Electronic

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building the new structure would be 60 X 40. He also reported that Gary might want to build an additional such building in the near future. Council approved the building.

Council also approved the annaul Christmas bonus for employees.



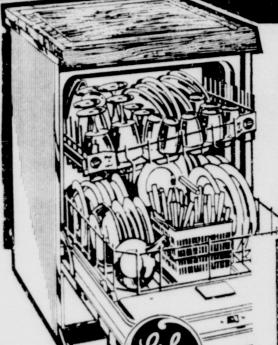
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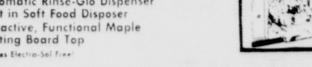


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## Sherry SoRelle, Stephen Jones exchange wedding vows

Sherry Yevonne SoRelle and Stephen Lee Jones exchanged wedding vows in a double-ring ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Edwards. at 104 Shore Drive in Portland on November 24, 1971,

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Jones of 1102 29th St., Hondo.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an empire-style floor-length gown of dotted Swiss organza with full puff sleeves. Lavender ribbon trimmed the gown with tiny lavendar flowers accenting the waist. The back of the gown consisted of a chapel-length train also trimmed in lavendar. She carried a nosegay of lavendar and white flowers trimmed in lavendar. Her veil was a shoulder-length of dotted Swiss organza held by a crown of white lace, lavendar organza and tiny laven-

Miss Peggy Edwards of Portland, the bride's sister, was her maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Ann Gay Jones of Hondo, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Vickie Griffin of Portland.

The attendants' gowns were floor-length lavendar dotted Swiss with puffed sleeves, ruffles along the scoop neckline and the bottom and trimmed at the empire waist with white lace and tiny lavendar flowers, identical to the bride. The

maid of honor carried a smaller version of the bridal bouquet and the bridesmaids carried nosegays of pink and

David Coward of Refugio was best man. Groomsmen were Michael Jones of Hondo, brother of the groom, and Larry Albrecht of Kings-

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. Lavendar

roses decorated the three-tier wedding cake which was topped with a bride and groom. Serving at the reception were Sue Albrecht of Kingsville and Sara Wood

The bride wore a purple crushed velvet pantsuit as a going-away suit.

After a trip to Acapulco, the couple will be at home at the Walker Nix Addition

## Shower compliments Barbara Ueckert

Miss Barbara Ueckert of Monahans, bride-elect of James Penland, was complimented Saturday evening. Dec. 4, with a miscellaneous shower in the Natalia Church of Christ basement.

The honoree chose to wear a red double-knit Aline dress. She and her future mother-in-law, Mrs. B. L. Penland, were each presented a white carnation cor-

Miss Carolyn Chant assisted at the gift table. The serving table was covered with a Christmas tablecloth centered with an arrangement of white poinsettias.

The cake, a white oblong confection, was decorated with wedding bells and two white doves with white ribbon streamers suspended from their beaks. Mrs. Wayne

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Barber and Mrs. Dan Pitts served the cake and green sherbet punch.

Hostesses were the women of the church.

### Order of Martha to have X mas party

St. Rose Household of the Order of Martha will have their Christmas party Tuesday evening, Dec. 21, at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Alfred Rohrbach.

Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Marie Richter, Mrs. Ed Ney and Mrs. W. O. Rothe.

Members will bring toys for the empty stockings. All inactive members are urged to attend.



Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lee Jones

## Two attend 4-H Council meeting

Lynda Howard, Girl Cochairman and Virce Gilliam, Chairman of the Medina County 4-H Council, attended the District 13 4-H Council meeting in Uvalde Saturday, Dec. 11.

Representatives of County 4-H Councils and County Extension agents attended from Real, Kinney, Kerr, Dimmitt, Hays, Comal, Bexar, Mayerick, LaSalle, Frio, U-

valde, Zavala, Atascosa, Edwards, Kendall and Val Verde Counties.

The delegates divided into three groups to discuss and make recommendations on District 4-H By-Laws, Council activities, committees, camp or lab. Officers will be elected and the District 13 4-H Council formally organized in March.

#### LETTER TO SANTA

Hondo, Texas Dec. 6, 1971 Dear Santa Claus,

I am writing you these few lines just to tell you Hello. My name is Alamar Morin. I am a girl. I am ten years old. I am in the fifth grade and I like school

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> Love Always, Alamar Morin 410 16 St.

#### Quihi news

By Mrs. Jack Sharp Weekeng guests in the Schweers were Mr. and Mrs.

home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. L. Crawford of Houston and Miss Alta Schweers and Eddie Mathaus of SA. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saat-

hoff and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guinther, jr. and sons, Keith and Kevin, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Meyer, Greg and Darryl in Portland.

On Thursday, Mrs. Henry Lindeburg was a guest in the home of Mrs. George Wiemers. On Monday, Mrs. Erwin Bohmfalk visited Mrs. Wiemers.

### First Baptist holds X-mas open house

This week

That's all she wrote

by Edna McDade

Rev. and Mrs. James Reid held Christmas open house for members of the First Baptist Church and their friends Sunday afternoon. The beautifully-decorated parsonage was glowing with elaborat arrange ments.

Dainty refreshments were served by ladies of the choir. while Rev. and Mrs. Reid and daughters, Donna Kay and Lenora, greeted the many guests.

## Noonan-Pearson news

Mrs. Allen Ihnkin

Visitors of Mrs. Leroy Stein and son Tuesday were Mrs. Anthony Zinsmeyer and daughter of LaCoste, Mrs. Dorothy Gass and Mrs. Peggy Klump of Castroville and Dabbie Gass.

Tony Orozco visited his wife, Janie, in SA last Mon-

Roy Tschirhart was at Hondo Saturday.

Leroy Stein was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Haby Saturday.

M: and Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart visited in the Al-

len Ihnken home Thursday. Mrs. Roy Tschirhart and daughter, Betty, were in SA

B. J. Wendell is on the sick list.

Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ihnken visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Haby Saturday eve-

Oscar Tschirhart and son. Leslie, were at Hondo Sat-

Allen Ihnken was at Lytle

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stein and Ricky attended a birthday supper in honor of Richard

Gass Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ron Boyce of SA visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart Saturday evening.

Mrs. Deanne Hoffman and girls visited Mrs. Leroy Stein and son Monday morn-

Mrs. Allen Ihnken and grandson, Ricky Stein, visited in the Albert Tschirhart home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fohn and sons of SA were guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart Sunday.

#### First Baptist topresent 'Night of Miracles' Soloists will be Mrs. Autry John Peterson's Christmas

cantata "Night of Miracles" will be presented Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. This famous cantata includes some of the most beautiful music ever composed to celebrate Christ-

Billy Harrell will direct.

Been and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Long, accompanied by Mrs. R. C. Bless at the organ. Mrs. James Reid at the piano and a brass ensemble composed of Hondo High School Band students.

Prior to the presentation of the cantata, two childrens choirs will sing some favorite Christmas songs. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Assisting JOHN and PATSY (Ulbrich) MELTON in their host duties at Hondo's new WHITETAIL LODGE is their almost 2-year old (on Jan. 2) son, JASON. My recommendation would be that they assign him to the public relations chores for Jason has a friendly smile that should be equal to the solu-

Having decided that SANTA would get more

sweets than his ample waistline warrants, GUS

WEYNAND made some turnip "sauerkraut". Gus

says that if the old gentleman should just happen

to stop by 2901 Ave. L, he might let him have a

tion of any problem. Remember when mistletoe in these parts used to be white-berried and ready to take over in the old tradition by the time Christmas rolled around? For the past several years it has not reached that per-

fection until much later. I had a special request for some to be sent to New York and I had a time locating any. GEOR-GENE DECKERT plucked some from a tree that, she confessed, grew in HARRY FILLEMAN's yard but it was too green. Then DONALD MUEN-NINK (Edna's Flower Shop) heard about my plight and went to his ranch where he found enough to

With only two more Saturdays left in 1971, it is not a bit too early to keep reminding ourselves that there are only 18 more Saturdays between us and our annual MUSEUM DAY celebration, set

fill the order all "for free", too. Meantime, I

had calls from several friends who had tried to

help. That's what I call rallying to the rescue!

for Saturday, May 6, 1972. This just must be the biggest and best Museum Day we've ever had because the Museum is off to

a fine start but needs all the a\$\$i\$tance it can get to keep growing and going. Lt. Col. MAURICE WALLRATH (U.S. Army

ret.), a D'Hanis native now living in Houston, has set a fine example of sharing that might encourage his fellow Medina Countians to follow this fine spirit of generosity and interest in this area's future.

A story in last week's ANVIL HERALD (page 2) listed some of the books Col. Wallrath gave to our Hondo Public Library which are now ready for circulation. On display at the library, also, are some items (more to follow) which will find a welcome place in our MEDINA COUNTY MU-

The Colonel's cousin, Mrs. V. R. CAMPBELL of San Antonio, is handling the gift details.

GERTRUDE (Mrs. Barnitz) CARLE gave me a book which found just the right spot on my reference shelf. It is "The TEXANS, Their Land & History", by Allan O. KOWNSLAR.

The book is among the texts approved for use in Texas schools. Its subject matter is so well written and illustrated that it should challenge the interest of our young students of social studies.

History (before it received recognition as a social study) was rather dull routine in my grade school days. Dates had to be memorized ad infinitum, regardless of correlation. With my tendency to transpose figures, I made dubious progress even with rhymed "crutches" to help.

"Columbus sailed the ocean blue in 1492" was mighty apt to appear, at written examination time, as "Columbus :sailed the deep blue sea in 1493"

Worthy of inclusion in the "Out of the mouths of babes" category is this sage observation which Mrs. LOUIS CARLE of D'Hanis shared with me.

Her 2-year old grandson, MICHAEL ANTHO-NY, recently attended his first movie, accompanied by his parents, LAWRENCE and MELVERA CARLE. As the picture appeared Mike gasped, "My, they sure have a big TV, don't they?"

Add to current definitions: THINKING is when the mouth stays shut and the head keeps on talking to itself. DIET is what you keep putting off while putting on.

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## Husband of former Hondo resident now in Thailand

U.S. AIR FORCES, Thailand -- U.S. Air Force Colonel Jerome F. O'Malley. whose wife, Diane, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Muennink of 608 20th St., Hondo, has assumed the position of vice commander of the 432nd Tactical Reconnaissance Wing at Udorn Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

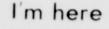
## Huffman takes visit to Rhodes

USS DETROIT -- Navy Seaman Larry Huffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McClay of Devine, has visited the Greek island of Rhodes aboard the fast combat support ship USS Detroit, homeported at Newport, R. L., and now operating as part of the U. S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

During the two-day stay, Huffman and his shipmates had the opportunity to visit the many historical Grecian landmarks on Rhodes, including the island's own ancient acropolis, similar to the one in Athens.

## Devine Air Force man assigned

AIRMAN JOHN F. ST. LEG-ER. JR., son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. St. Leger, Sr. of Rt. 1. Devine, has received his first U.S. Air Force duty assignment after completing basic training at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB. The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Air Training Command at Fairchild AFB, Wash., for training and duty as a survival equipment specialist. Airman St. Leger is a 1970 graduate of Davine High School. His wife, Phyllis, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wingate, Jr. of Devine.



#### Lisa Michelle Griffin

Mr. and Mrs. Tony R. Griffin of Burlington, New Jersey announce the arrival of their daughter, Lisa Michelle, born December 8, 1971 at Walson Army Hospital, Fort Dix, New Jersey. She weighed seven pounds, one ounce.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haby of Hondo and Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Griffin of San Antonio. Greatgrandmothers are Mrs. Lizzie Haby, Mrs. Bertha Hoffmann and Mrs. Etta Griffin.

Lisa Michelle's mother is the former Loretta Haby of Hondo.

Kimberly Jean Weynand

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Before his arrival in Thailand, he served as vice commander of the 460th Tactical Reconnaissance Wing at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam.

The colonel presently holds the aeronautical rating of command pilot.

A 1949 graduate of St. Rose High School, Carbondale, Pa., he received his B. S. degree and commission from the U.S. Military Academy in 1953 and his M. S. degree from George Washington University, Washington. D. C.. in 1965.

## Campa at Fort Ord

FT. ORD, CALIF. -- Private George R. Campa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Campa, Sr., 509 Tilley Drive. Devine, recently completed a basic Army administration course at Ft. Ord.

The course trains students as general clerks, clerk-typists and personnel specialists. They receive instruction in typing, filing, English grammar, preparation of correspondence and in the recording and use of Army personnel records.



John F. St. Leger Jr.

Weynand announce the birth of a daughter, Kimberly Jean, Nov. 10, 1971, at Pasadena Bayshore Hospital in Houston. She is being welcomed by a sister, Michele Renee.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sutton of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Weynand of D'Hanis. Greatgrandmother is Mrs. W. A. Weynand, also of D'Hanis.

## Pecan baking winners

Winners in many of the categories entered in the Pecan Baking Show held in Hondo in conjunction with the Winter Garden Area Pecan Show gathered around the winning entries. Shown here are, front row left to right: Mrs. Samuel Zerr, Mrs. Edwin Zinsmeyer, Lucy Poerner, Gay Arm-

ke, Sue Query, Carolyn Stinson, Mrs. Arthur Nester; Back row: Rev. Victor Schmidtzinsky, Mrs. Floyd Saathoff, Mrs. Arthur Nester, Mrs. Phelix L. Cowan, Mrs. Ray Perez, Mrs. V. B. Alexander, Mrs. Donald Muennink. (Photo by Rev. Victor Schmidtzinsky)

## Contestants awarded at Pecan Show

By Barbara Fowler County Home Demonstration

The Pecan Baking Show was held in the Hondo City Hall and was sponsored by the County Home Demonstration Council, Medina County Pecan Subcommittee, Medina Agriculture Products and Holy Cross Catholic Church, D'Hanis.

Mrs. D. G. Odam of Devine, Home Demonstration Council Chairman, supervised the show at the Hondo City Hall and conducted the awards program in which Ar-

thur Franke presented cash prizes and ribbons to the first, second and third-place winners. Father Victor Schmidtzinsky presented the silver tray for Best Award of the show to Mrs. Samuel Zerr for her white chocolate cake and the rosette ribbon for Reserve Award of the show to Mrs. Floyd Saathoff for her pecan pie.

Judges for the event were Miss Alma Placke, Bexar County Home Damonstration Agent; Miss Eunice Rainwater, Uvalde County Home Demonstration Agent; Mrs. Pauline Stevens, Bandera

## FFA members receive Degree

At the regular meeting of the Hondo FFA Chapter Monday, Dec. 13, 31 Greenhands were raised to Chapter Farmer.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p. m. by President Wayne Stein. All officers were at their stations. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave his report and stated the balance to date.

The ceremony for raising Greenhands to the degree of Chapter Farmer took place. To become a Chapter Farmer a student must be enrolled in vocational agriculture for two years and make \$50 on productive projects.

Members qualifying to become Chapter Farmers are Raymond Clark, Bobby Tschirhart, Allen Martin, Billy Bryant, Clyde Oefinger, Louis Schmidt, Armando Frausto, Pat Stein, Steve Hannemann, Russel Guinn, David Wnarton, Ronnie Mangold and Greg Saathoff.

Also, Ted Mendoza, Gene McAnelly, Tim Hardt, Mitch Pope, Andy Aelvoet, Glenn Sturm, Gary Saathoff, Gordy Bohmfalk, Bill Bendele. Weldon Honig, Henry Flory,

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Other winners in the Adult Division of the Pecan Baking Show are: Pies --Airs. Phelix Cowan, 2; Mrs. Arthur Dale, 3rd; Cakes --Mrs. Edwin Zinsmeyer, 2nd, Mrs. Rene Aelvoet, 3rd; Candy -- Mrs. V. B. Alexander, 1st, Miss Marilyn Scott, 2nd, Gay Garmke, 3rd; Novelty -- Mrs. Donald Muennink, 1st, Carolyn Stinson, 2nd, Mrs. Ray Perez, 3rd; Cookies -- Mrs. Arthur Nester, 1st, Mrs. Joe T. Hartley, 2nd, Sue Query,

Others who entered are: Pies -- Mrs. J. W. Noblitt, Mrs. David C. Lutz, Mrs. Richard M. Batot, Mrs. Walter J. Etter, Gina Day, Mrs. E. D. DuBose, Miss Ester Koehler; Cakes -- Yolanda Rodriguez, Mrs. Howard Haden, Mrs. John T. Law,

## County pays dues

Payment of \$150 was made Monday by the Medina County Commissioners Court for back dues of the Canyon Wolf Club so that the State books could be cleared on this account.

This marks the final payment of the Club since it is now defunct, thanks to a lack of interest by area farmers and ranchers.

The County has been paying \$175 per month as its share in predator control for the past several months. Prior to that the payment was \$150 per month.

The Club was responsible for \$75 per month and this came from contributions by stock owners. Harry Fille-

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man maintained the funds at the Chamber of Commerce office, and in the past few months has issued several appeals for more contributions. But they did not come in and the Club failed.

"Since this amount is owed the State, " said Judge Jerome Decker, "I recommend the Court pay it as a final payment.

Hereafter, the County will join the State in trying to control predator animals through the use of poisoned horse meat.

Mrs. Vicente Hernandez, Mrs. Dan Herrmann and Mrs. Homer Eaves; Candy -- Mrs. Ralph Gilliam, Mrs. Oscar Nester, Mrs. Rothe Martin, Mrs. D. G. Odam;

Novelty -- Camille Sandusky; Cookies -- Mrs. Louis Rinter, Mrs. Pauline M. Scott, Pat K. Eaves, Mrs. Velda Cole, Mrs. E. J. Conrad, Catherine Biediger, Mrs. Raymond Koch, Sue Dodson, Mary Gutierrez, Olivia Torres; Junior Cookies -- Denise Saathoff, Linda Martin, Robin Saathoff, Carol Ann Stein, Nancy Martin, Mariette Aelvoet, Cathy Poerner.

Winners in the Junior Division are: Cookies -- Chris Cole, 1st, Lucy Poerner, 2nd,

Arlene Herrmann, 3rd; Cakes -- Douglas Cole, 1st, Lesley Muennink, 2nd, Sherrie Linn English, 3rd; Novelty --Vicky Gilliam, 1st, Kathy Martin, 2nd, Carolyn Lessing, 3rd; Candy -- Valerie Lyn Cole, 1st, Laurie Hart-Aelvoet, 1st.

## County increases

retirement

County Commissioners resolved the manner in which the recent retirement percentage increase to all County employees and officials will be handled.

Court increased the retirement rate from four percent to six percent and voted for the County to assume payment of the entire amount by increasing each person's pay by the amount the new rate

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## Dolph Briscoe leads in newspaper polls

UVALDE, TEXAS -- Two newspaper polls taken in far North Texas and deep East Texas have resulted in placing the name of Dolph Briscoe far ahead of competition, both announced and unannounced. Briscoe was the 3 to 1 favorite over a combination of Ben Barnes, Preston Smith and Ralph Yarborough, in Denton County.

That poll, taken by the Danton County Enterprise, was one in which folks had to send their responses back by mail, usually a hard way to receive results. Also in that county folks not only wanted their names used, but directed many caustic remarks against Briscoe's political foes. All of this despite the fact that Denton County at

this time has no organized Briscoe for Governor movement. This would appear to be simply a grass-roots support for the Uvalde businessman-rancher.

The poll taken by the Longview News Journal covered eight East Texas counties including Bowie, Cass, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Panola, Rusk and Shelby. The first question was simple, "Who do you favor for Governor in 1972?" and the second more direct, "Be tween Briscoe and Barnes who is your choice?".

Results were overwhelmingly in favor of Briscoe. The Longview News Journal stated: "The poll shows Dolph Briscoe running head and shoulders above three other potential gubernatorial candidates. "

Briscoe was not only the top choice in question one as to which candidate among the four announced or unannounced men, but also far ahead of Barnes in question

Briscoe opened his campaign when he announced for Governor on September 29, in an Austin press conference. Since that time he has crisscrossed the State almost daily to meet the men and women he hopes will not only support him but will be helpful in setting up the needed county and area campaign headquarters.

Briscoe ran fourth in the race for Governor in 1968. He started late in a field of 10 men and women. When the votes were counted he lacked 11% of having enough votes to be tops in the run-

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On December 6 at the Annual Hondo Chamber of Commerce banquet, Alfred wiemers was honored with a olaque by the Medina Valley soil and Water Conservation District for being selected the

Outstanding Conservation farmer or rancher. The selection is made from all the farmers and ranchers within the Medina County, by the director of the Medina Valley District. This is not an



ALFRED WIEMERS HONORED . . . Harlan Wolff, left, makes presentation of Outstanding Conservation Farmer and Rancher at the Hondo Chamber of Commerce banquet. Plaque is presented by Medina Valley Soil Conserva-

Wentz told the Court "the

that time some 1,000 persons

Museum began accepting

visitors in July and since

have viewed the items on

of Medina County."

display depicting the history

Reading several com-

ments from the visitor book,

Wentz included one from

Natalia which stated: "a

good credit to our county."

seum is doing real well; we

have a good Board of Direc-

tors; everybody is working

hard; and interest is high in

antiques or historical items. "

And Frank Graff added.

"But we need additional fi-

nancial assistance to contin-

Wentz explained that the

roof leaked during the flood

done. "Therefore, we would

certainly appreciate the as-

surance of a certain amount

Judge Jerome Decker and

the Commissioners asked the

delegation what "amount of

assistance they had in mind. "

The group had no set figure

leave that up to the genero-

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for a short visit this week.

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ue operations.

to depend on. "

He continued, "The Mu-

## Museum delegation meets with Court

A delegation representing he Medina County Museum net Monday afternoon with the Commissioners Court.

Headed by President John Wentz the group consisted of directors who were Frank Graff, Tony Mendoza, Mrs. Oswald Sauer of LaCoste, Mrs. Olen Haby of Rio Medina and Douglas Bohmfalk.

Purpose of the group was to brief the Commissioners on the history of the Museum and its operation at the present time, with the expressed hopes that the Court could see its way clear to provide some financial help.

## Empty Stocking fund shy

Miss Mary Ruth Cameron acknowledges contributions to the Empty Stocking Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Burnis K. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd C. Witte, St. Paul's ALCW, Hondo HD Club, Frank W. Rothe.

Also, from Mrs, Erna Martin, Mrs. Edna L. Nester, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gilliam, Iota Upsilon Sorority, the Harold Hartmans, Mrs. Joe Wood and the James Jordans.

Other donations came from Borden Distributing Company, Claude Schuehle, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Breidenbach, former Hondoans, now of Kingsville,

Miss Cameron is now at home after a stay in the hospital and is directing the Empty Stocking program "with the capable assistance of Santa's willing workers", she reported.

Plans call for the distribution of Christmas boxes to area families on the ES list on Wednesday, Dec. 22.

"We appreciate the response to our appeal for our needy families, " said Miss Cameron. "Of course, we can use more funds to complete the boxes and are always hopeful that we can make this happy season happier for us all by sharing.

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easy task much thought and consideration goes into making this selection.

The director represents five separate areas of the county and you might be interested in knowing who they are: Harlan Wolff, Chairman; Clarence P, Wurzbach, vice-chairman; Lloyd Hardt, secretary-treasurer; Frank Silvey and Franklin Muennink, members.

Let me give you a quick run down on some of the things that he has done to earn this honor.

First, he owns and operates 1,028 acres of which 270 acres is in cropland, 120 acres in Coastal Bermudagrass, 633 acres in rangeland and 5 acres in headquarters, On the rangeland, Wiemers has rootplowed and established to blue panic grass 120 acres. This brush work was done in strips to benefit wild-

Two farm ponds have been constructed and both stocked with bass, channel catfish and sunfish. Two diversion terraces have been built to increase the drainage area of the ponds and also protect cropland from outside water.

One is 1,700 "long; the other 1, 970". Grazing is rotated between the separate pastures allowing each to have the necessary rest to keep a vigorous cover of grass. The management of his grass is one thing that makes Alfred outstanding. He never uses or grazes more than half of the annual pro-

The Coastal is never grazed closer than six inches, which leaves good cover on the sail for eorsion control.

In 1965, Wiemers built and established to Coastal a two and waterway. This waterway carries excess water through a field to a safe out-

The cropland is planted to a high residue producing crop each year, such as grain sorghum, forage sorghums, small grain and corn. The residue from these crops remains on the surface of the land for soil protection from erosion when no crops are being grown. This is one of the small things of managing crop residue properly that will prevent erosion when excessive wind and rain comes. Of the 1,028 acres that Wiemers owns and operates it is all adequately treated to maintain its productivity and eliminate any excessive erosion. For these achievements, the District Director selected Wiemers as the Outstanding Conservation Farmer-Rancher of the District for 1971.

### Laymen honored

Mrs. Annie Carle, Tom

Haby visited Thursday with

Hugo Haby at the Veterans

Dac. 22 at 1 p. m. is

church cleaning at St. Louis

Church. Bring bucket, mop

Mrs. Sterley Jagge, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Bog-

A large number of ladies

gus, SA, called on the John-

Gail Boehme and Julie were

in SA shopping Thursday.

nie Schweerses Saturday.

dared the weather Thursday

meeting and Christmas party

at the St. Louis Parish Hall.

evening for the St. Ann's

Special guest was Father

Tom Diab of San Angelos.

ited Friday with Miss Caro-

line Flathouse, Mrs. Fred

Jungman, Mrs. Rudy Man-

Rosie Boubel and great-

grandson, Kirk.

gold and a short call to Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bou-

bel, Castroville, proudly an-

nounce the arrival of a baby

Dec. 6. The young lady is

welcomed by brother, Kirk,

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy

Tschirhart and children of

Castroville were Thursday

evening supper guests of his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam

Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Mechler, Mrs. Helen Fran-

ger of LaCoste visited M:.

and Mrs. Sam Tschirhart

Tschirhart.

Saturday.

grandparents and great-grand-

parents of Castroville and SA.

daughter at a SA hospital

Mrs. J. D. Schweers vis-

and dust rags, and a strong

Hospital in Kerrville.

back. Do come.

Laymen of St. John's Catholic Church were constituted as ministers of holy communion Sunday. Shown here administering holy communion is Rev. George Stuebben. Honored laymen include: Claude

Wengenroth, John Schoellman, Walter Schoellman, Doroteo Hernandez, Gerald Adamietz, Lesl'e Vance and Sister Mary Pauline Hynes, S.H.G. (Photo by Tony

## Settlement news

Carl Wengenroth, son of the Lloyd Wengenroths, spent Saturday evening with his grandparents, the William Wangenroths.

Mr. and M.s. John Lawrence and Christie enjoyed supper with the Larry Mechlers and Lacey Saturday eve-

Mrs. Elmer Biediger and Mrs. Norman Digges visited Mrs. Annie Carle Sunday evening.

Visiting the Calvin Schott family Saturday were M:. and Mrs. William Brieden and Nadine and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bendele visited the George Master family Sunday.

Mrs. William Wengenroth and Mrs. Hilda Haby were in Hondo Wednesday. Mrs. Ray Horner visited

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and Christie Sunday. Mrs. George Masters visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mas-

ters Thursday afternoon. Otto Hutzler of Bandera visited Mrs. Paul Schott Monday morning. Later in the evening he visited Mrs. Albert F. Schneider.

Claude Wengenroth of Hondo visited Mr. and Mrs. William Wengenroth Sunday. Mrs. Dora Horner visited

the George Masters family Sunday afternoon. Mrs. J. E. Klump visited

Mrs. William Brieden and

Nadine Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Schott visited Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nelson Thursday eve-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Horner visited her mother, Mrs. Paul

Schott, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Pauline Mehr spent the past Sunday with her ne-

## by Wanda Schott

phew and family, Mr. and We are sorry to report that Mrs. Harold Bippert, at the Mrs. Clara Moehring is in the Hondo Memorial Hospi-Mr. and Mrs. J. D. tal since Saturday. We all Schweers visited the Myrlin pray she will be well and Balzens Monday.

> The Johnnie Schweerses visited Gay and Peggy Johnson and children in SA Sun-

home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Haby and daughter of SA spent the weekend with his parents, the Allen Habys.

Mrs. Matt Saathoff, Mrs. Ben DeJornio, Quihi, called on the Robert Breitens, Jr. Wednesday.

Robert Breiten, Sr. of Dunlay attended the services of his nephew, Hugo Bras icke, Jr., 45, Friday at Uvalde and burial at Knippa.

Covered dish Christmas supper at Herman Sons Hall Thursday, Dec. 16, at 6 p. m. following will be games Dunlay Community Club.

The Johnnie Schweerses called on the Robert Breitens Sunday evening.

#### Police report

Speeding, 31; Ran Red Light, 1; No Drivers' License, 5; Improper Start, 1; Ran Stop Sign, 5; Parked on Wrong Side of Road, 1; Keys in Unattended Vehicle, 2; Driving Without Headlights at Night, 1; Restriction of Drivers' License, 1.

Warnings, 162; Investigations, 24; Burglars, 2; Family Disturbance, 18; Disturbance in Public Place, 6; Disorderly Conduct, 3; Drunk in Public Place, 5; Call to Hospital, 2.

Hondo; six sons, Jose DeLeon of Pearsall, Conception De-Leon, Diego DeLeon and Enrique DaLeon of Hondo, Jesus DeLeon of Medina Valley and Pete DeLeon.

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Last rites said for

Mrs. Valeriano

DeLeon

Last rites were said for

Mrs. Valeriano (Pioquinta

Davila) DeLeon, 80, at St.

John's Catholic Church at 4

Rev. George Stuebben and

Rev. Emmett Carolan offi-

at 7:30 Sunday evening at

all her life, Mrs. Deleon

was born in Uvalde on June

Jesus Garza Davila, She

18, 1891 the daughter of the

late Mauricio and Maria De-

was a member of the Catho-

residence in Hondo where she

Survivors include her hus-

lic faith and had made her

died Saturday, Dec. 11.

hand Valeriano DeLeon of

Horger Chapel.

ciating. Rosary was recited

A Medina County resident

p. m. Monday, Dec. 13, 1971

Also, five daughters, Grecia Gonzales, Doria Villareal and Emestacia Garza, all of San Antonio, and Tome DeLeon and Petra Santillanio, of Hondo; and a large number of grandchildren,

Interment was in St. John Catholic Cemetery.

Pallbearers were her sons, Jose, Conception, Diego, Enrique, Jesus and Pete Da-

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The sentiment appears to be growing among some people that a person has a right to break the law if he is motivated by so-called political or moral issues. Further, some groups insist on the privilege of violating the rights of others while expressing their dissent in such wild schemes as trying to "shut down the Government." They are visionary rich and judgment poor.

Indeed, with respect to the Mayday demonstrations in the Nation's capital, the most neutral and objective observers must have felt that some influential components of our society, judging from their reactions, were sympathetic to the rebelling hordes who vowed "to bring the Government to a halt."

As elementary as it may seem, commonsense and public morality are necessary parts of lib-

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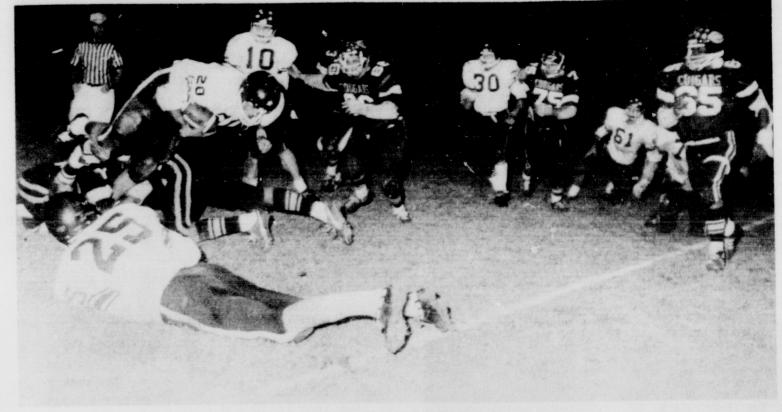
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erty under the law. In the recent past, we have seen some ridiculous incidents in the name of rights, liberty, and freedom which were completely devoid of commonsense and morality. In fact, many such events were staged as if to perpetuate degradation and depravity rather than anything so uplifting and noble as rights and freedoms. Also, to my mind, we are right to question the sincerity of petitioners, regardless of their cause, who haul down the Nation's flag and destroy and burn government property.

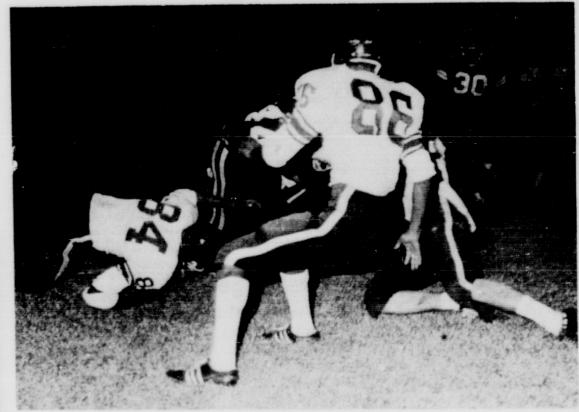
Citizens taking to the streets to air their grievances should remember that they are exercising a most cherished right under the system of law. Their presence, however restrained and controlled, creates some degree of inconvenience and hardship for others, not to mention the costs involved which must be borne by the local and/or Federal Governments. These conditions are understandable. However, when demonstrators deliberately defy authority and violate the rights of others, let them know that the same system of law which willingly grants the opportunity to be heard will quickly and effectively curb their excesses. Liberty without law is a myth.







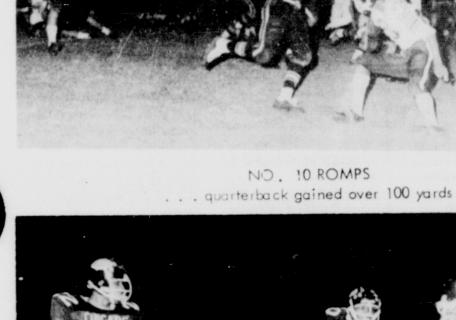
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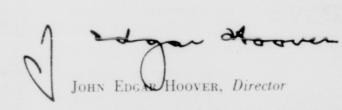


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TO ALL PERSONS INTEREST -ED IN THE ABOVE ESTATE:

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of December, 1971, in the County Court of Medina County, Texas, the undersigned duly qualified as Independent Executrix of the Estate of O-TIS LAUGHINGHOUSE, de-

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary on this Estate were granted and this is to notify all persons having claims against said Estate to present the same to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law. Any person indebted to said Estate is hereby notified to pay same to the undersigned.

HATTIE LAUGHINGHOUSE Independent Executrix of the Estate of OTIS LAUGH-INGHOUSE, Deceased

1404 29th Street Hondo, Texas 78861

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Political Announcements

For State Representative:

Jim Green

## Cards of thanks

The recent bereavement which has visited our home has brought to us a greater appreciation of our friends. Such kindnesses and neighborly thoughtfulness can never be forgotten. We are especially grateful to Father Steubben and to those who brought food and floral offerings. The family of

> Refugia Ramos 12-16-1tc

This is to express my deep appreciation or the many kindnesses I received, cards, flowers, visits and prayers, while I was in the hospital. My special thanks to the doctors, nurses, Rev. Weimer and Rev. Carolan. May God bless each of you.

> Lawrence Ike Grant 12-16-1tc

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## D'Hanis news by Mary Belle Zerr

Joe M. Zins meyer returned to his Amarillo home after an extended visit with his son and family, the Dean Zinsmeyers and also other relatives.

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Joe J. Rieber returned this week to his Amar llo home after an extended visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Rieber returned home earlier while Joe remained for hunting.

Mrs. Lawrence Carle honored her mother with a birthday dinner on Friday. Present were Mrs. Annie Klasing, Mrs. Marshall Ney and her mother, Mrs. Lee of SA, Mrs. Ernest Lawrence of Columbus and Mrs. Charlie Finger of Hondo. Others were Mrs. W. A. Nehr, Mrs. O. J. Reinhart, Sr., Mrs. O. W. Tondre, Mrs. Louis Carle and Mrs. Sam Zerr.

Mrs. Kathie Fillinger. formerly of D'Hanis and now

of SA, was the honoree at a birthday turkeydinner held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Renken at Canyon

Lake Hills on Sunday, Dec. 12. Present for the occasion to help celebrate her 85th birthday were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fillinger of D'Hanis, Mr. and Mrs. James Fillinger of Castroville and from SA, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mikulenka, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wolff and Mrs. Roy

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## Wins state championship

Miss Mary Clara Meyer, riding her jumper Good News, won the Texas Amateur Owner Jumper Championship last week after competing in various horse shows throughout the state. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Meyer of Hondo. Miss Meyer was champion in her division of the following horse shows: the Alzafar Shrine Charity Horse Show in San Antonio, the San Antonio Hunter and Jumper Charity Show, Gillespie County Horse Show, Fredericksburg, Alamo Pony Club Horse Show, San Antonio; Waco Symphony Women's Council Hunter and Jumper Show; and the Christmas Horse Show sponsored by the Modern Pentathion of San Antonio. Other shows in which Miss Mayer has participated are the Dallas Charity Horse Show; Parish Stables Fall Hunter and Jumper Show, Houston; Austin Horse Show and Organization Horse Show; and the Artillery Hunt Horse Show, Ft. Sill, Okla. Mary Clara, affectionally known as "Tootie", will attend the Awards dinner of the Texas Hunter Jumper Association in San Antonio in February 1972 where she will receive her championship trophy. She will be accompanied by her parents and brother, Henry Mayer. Miss Meyer started riding when she was 10 years old. She is presently attending Southwest Texas Junior College in Uvalde and plans to enroll at the University of Texas in January, majoring in Home Economics, specializing in interior design.

## Owls place 12 on 1971 **All-District**

Gordon Wiemers, the Owls' two-way stalwart of the linebacker, and Lonnie line, was the only Hondo player to be named to the first team District 28-AA Dis- ond team All District, one trict team on both offense and defense.

Wiemers joined six other Owls on the first team named by district coaches. Four Owls were named on offense, while three made the defens-

Also named offensive All-District were Kurt Leinweber, center; Tom Hill, quarterback; and Keith Ligon, back. Defensive first teamers al-

## Country Squares plan Xmas party

The Country Squares of Hondo will be having their Christmas party Dec. 18 at the Square Dance Club at a p. m. All members plus the present Square Dance Class, are encouraged to attend.

There will be fun and frolics for all with refreshments after the dance.

Plan to attend and have a fun-filled evening with your friends from our area.

## Basketball gets late start here

A difficult switch is underway at Hondo High School as a great football season becomes a memory and a basketball season becomes a re-

Coach Dan Keath faces a tough test in getting his charges into shape to begin District 28-AA play on December 30 in Cotulla.

He will be able to get only two games into the ex-

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perience hopper prior to meeting the Cowboys in "for real" competition.

Due to the extended football season, Keath had to cancel two tourname four or five games.

"But with four days workouts we will host Bandera in Hondo Friday night, " he said Tuesday afternoon. The B-Team game gets underway at 6:30 p. m. and the varsity tilt will follow.

Coach Keath has six returning lettermen around which to build his team. These include: Eric Grant, Lonnie Knowles, Tom Hill, Keith Ligon, James Batteau and Gordon Wiemers.

Others who have played and are out are Johnny Abrego, Ray Ybarra, Robert Blackshear and a transfer Pat Weems.

Coach Keath is entering his fifth year as head basketball coach and marks a District championship in 1969 as a highlight of that period.

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Last year his Owls fell slightly below the .500 average in the won and lost

The coach feels that Pearsall, Devine and Medi na Valley will prove very tough in district play. "Pearsall has most of last year's boys back and this adds experience to an already good squad, " he said. "Medina

Valley and Devine have been playing good ball so far this year. Devine beat Cole of San Antonio Monday night and that was a feat in itself.

clash, the Owls will meet Boerne in the Hondo gym on the night of December 28. Then on December 30 they travel to Cowboy country and start District 28-AA action.

## Astros schedule home tilts

Houston's Astros will conclude their 1972 exhibition season with four games against the Minnesota Twins in the Astrodome beginning Friday, March 31, General Manager Spec Richardson has

The Astros will play the Twins in 7:30 p. m. games Friday, March 31, Saturday, April 1 and Monday, April 3. On Sunday, April 2, the Twins and Astros will meet at 2 p. m.

Houston will play 19 straight games in Florida beginning on Saturday, March

11, against Minnesota in Gocoa. The Astros will end their Florida schedule on Wednesday, March 29, then take the day off Thursday, March 30, before coming to

The Astros will meet the Twins of the American League West division eight times in exhibition play.

Last season the Astros played five exhibition games in the Astrodome. Houston played Baltimore three games (winning one) and the New York Yankees twice (split-

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# so included John Howard,

Knowles, defensive back. Five Owls made the secon offense and four on de-

Eric Grant made second team on both defense and offense as an offensive end and defensive back. Others were Joe Schueling and James Batteau, linemen; Mark Buescher, linebacker.

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE -- Center - Kurt Leinweber, Hondo.

Linemen -- Carl Warnke, Medina Valley; Nick Constanzo, Southwest; Gordon Wiemers, Hondo; Elly Herlandez, Davine,

Ends -- Alan Lawler, Pearsall: Robert Hundley, Devine. Quarterback -- Dennis Mo-Chee, Reassall: Tom Hill.

Backs -- Keith Ligon, Honde; Mekey Conrad, Medina alley; John Sutton, Pearsall. DEFENSE--Linemen-Steve valson, Pearsall; Nick Constanzo, Southwest; Wayne Ilus, Medina Valley; Gordon Vienners, Hondo; Juan Perez, Carrizo Springs,

Linebackers -- John Sutton, Pearsall; John Howard, Hondo; Carl Warnke, Medina Valley.

Defensive Backs -- Paul Jette, Davine; Dennis Mc-Gehee, Pearsall; Lonnie Knowles, Hondo.

SECOND TEAM! OFFENSE -- Center - Dan St. Ledger, Devine.

Linemen -- Wayne Iltis, Modina Valley; Alonzo Minoz, Carrizo Springs; Donny Barnes, Pearsall; Dennis Wilson, Pearsall; John Kolos, Carrizo Springs.

Ends--Eric Grant, Ho Steve Keller, Medina Val-

Quarterback -- Paul Jette,

Backs--Emilio Soliz, Southwest; Dusty Brown, Devine; Rick McCain, Davine; Juan Gonzales, Cotulla.

#### Extension courses announced

On Monday evening, January 10, 7 p.m. at Pearsall intermediate School Library, a class organization meeting will be held for extension courses from Southwest Texas State University.

It is highly important that all persons who are interested in an extension class attend the meeting. Please make plans now. If there are any questions, please contact Jerry Doyle in Pearsall before the Christmas holidays.



ERIC GRANT AND THE BALL . . . get together for lone Owl TD

## Cougars end Owl hopes with 30-7 playoff win

A crushing ground game featuring both weight and speed proved the big difference Friday night as the experienced Rosebut-Lott Cougars thumped Hondo 30-7 in a semi-finals tilt in Seguin.

Led by Quarterback Kenneth Coulter and halfbacks Kevin Scott and Jim Brooks, the Cougars kept a devastating machine purring all night, grinding out some 302 yards on land and 98 through the

Hondo made a battle of it until mid-way in the fourth quarter, and trailed only 15-7, when a near interception by Tom Hill deflected into the hands of Brooks, who scampered 35 yards for the TD that wrapped up the opportunity for the Cougars to meet Jacksboro in Waco Fri-

day night for the State title. The Owls' lone tally came with 45 seconds remaining in the second quarter and Hondo trailing 7-0. Hill rifled a pass to Eric Grant who grabbed it in over his shoulders and outraced the defending Cougar to the goal line. Hill kicked the extra point.

Rosebud's first two touchdowns came on sustained drives of 78 and 76 yards. In the first quarter they mounted a 78-yard drive to go ahead 7-0. And on their first possession of the second half they went ahead to stay after marching 76 yards on crunching line smashes and blasting end sweeps. They missed the try for two points

and the score stood at 13-7.

A few minutes later, the hard-fighting Owls made a valliant stand at the goal line and caused a fumble at the one. On the first play Ligon went on an endsweep and was caught behind the goal line for a safety. This was near the end of the third

Rosebud scored again midway in the fourth frame when Hill attempted the interception and had the ball bounce off his hands into the waiting arms of Brooks who went on to score.

The Cougars scored their final tally after they took possession on their own 18. Hondo gambled on a fourth down and Hill completed a long pass to Terry Mechler only to have it nullified by a holding penalty. They then gave up the ball on downs and Rosebud's Scott scored on the third play, with 4:42 remaining.

The Cougars' awesome defense, featuring a 198 average weight from tackle to tackle, bottled up the fighting Owls all night. They stopped Kebo Ligon with 40 yards and swarmed Tom Hill all night.

Unofficial statistics read (Hondo first): First Downs --7-27: Yards Rushing -- 70-302; Yards Passing -- 86-98; Return Yardage -- 13-24; Passes -- 5-13-1, 5-8-0; Punts--6-39.0, 4-34.0; Fumbles Lost--0-1; Yards Penalized -- 2-20, 4-55.

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Myles M. Weynand, Weldon L. Weynand, Lawrence H. Weynand, Wallace J. Weynand and Mabel E. Weynand, a single woman, to David Rodriguez, deed to Lot 2, Blk. "B", Henry L. Weynand Addition, Hondo, \$10 etc.

Myles M. Weynand, Weldon L. Weynand, Lawrence H. Weynand, Wallace J. Weynand and Mabel E. Weynand, a single woman, to Philip Tschirhart, deed to Lot 3. Blk. "C". Henry L. Weynand Addition, Hondo,

Edgar B. Baxter and wife, Clara M. Baxter to Norbert F. Buys and wife, Patsy R. Buys deed to 32.75 acres of land out of the P. Bluntzer Sur. No. 502, Medina County, \$10 etc.

William R. Morrison and Florence R. Morrison, hus-

band and wife, to W. B. Sansom, Jr. and Bettie L. East side of Lake Medina out of a 14.95-acre tract known as Tract 4, out of the D. Arnold Sur. #78, Medina

County, \$10 etc. G. H. Finger and wife, Kathleen Finger, to H. A. Finger, Trustee, deed to Lot 6, and the East 1/2 of Lot 7, Blk. 35, Hondo, \$10 etc.

Hondo Methodist Church, a corporation, to Ramon Cortez, deed to Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 2, Hondo, \$10 etc.

Jerry O. Rucker and wife, Billie Dee Rucker to Marvin L. Rucker and wife. Rubve E. Rucker deed to 3.75 acres of land, more or less, out of Lot 2, Blk, 35, San Antonio Trust Subd. of lands in Medina County, \$10 etc.

M. L. Rucker and wife, Rubye Rucker to Donald Sessions and wife, Gayle Ses-Sansom, deed to Lot 8, and the East 15 feet of Lot 9, Blk. 21, LaCoste, \$10 etc.

James E. Amberson and Thoro L. Amberson, husband and wife, to Carrol McCauley deed to .702 acres of land out of Sur. # 416, Milton Addition, Me-

Anne J. Anderson and Elvira Johnson to Joseph C. Johnson and Essie Mae Johnson, deed to 16,69 acres of land out of Sur. #941, Thomas A. Dasher, about one mi-

vin A. Brucks to Richard A. Culpepper and Nancy K. Culpepper, husband and wife, deed to 183, 0325 acres of land out of Sur. #2, #1 and #6, Henry Castro and George Cupples, Original grantees,

William Zinsmeyer and Irene Zinsmeyer, husband and wife, to Hogo C. Stolte, Jr. deed to 3.196 acres of land out of Sur. #1/17, Cert. No. 106, Abst. 1215, Me-

Floyd E. Santleben, Alvin C. Santleben and Lloyd Santleben to H go C. Stolte, Jr. deed to 397.99 acres of land out of Sur. #41-1/4, J. S. Collard, Sur. #15-1/4, J. W. Howard, Abst. #1464, Medina County, \$10 etc.

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Rebecca Ann to M&M Charles Dickens, Hondo, 8 1bs. 6 oz., Dec. 6.

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1bs. 1-1/4 oz., Dec. 8. Winthrop Alvin to M&M Walter Charles Kempf, SA, 6 lbs. 13-1/4 oz., Dec. 9. Erica Michelle to M&M Robert Nino, LaCoste, 6 lbs.

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William H. Santelben,

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### Brown's Nursing

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Mrs. R. E. Haby of Rio Medina was in to see her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alexandrina Ahr, Friday. Also visiting Mrs. Ahr last week was Mrs. Quintin Haby.

Mrs. Red Burell and friends were in to see Mrs. Regina Burell; also visiting her on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bendele.

Howard Tschirhart and Mrs. Clarence Holzhaus of Castroville were here to visit their mother, Mrs. Annie Tschirhart, Tuesday.

Mrs. Milton Haby of Rio Medina visited her mother. Mrs. Annie Tschirhart, Fri-

Mrs. Lydia Leinweber of Castroville was a visitor of Mrs. Annie Tschirhart and also Mrs. Scholastica Haby.

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Hondo Homes, Inc. to Leslie A. Boone and Nancy L. Boone, husband and wife, deed to Lot 6, Blk. 1, Harmony Park Subd., Hondo, \$10 etc.

Hondo Homes, Inc. to James V. Dugan and Margaret J. Dugan, husband and wife, deed to Lot 5, Blk. 1, Harmony Park Subd., Hondo.

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Pedro Vidal & Alicia Garcia Rodriquez, Dec. 6.

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#### New Car

Sonia Ortiz, Dec. 10.

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## Natalia & Chacon Lake news

By Mrs. L.W. Thompson

Bobby Bradshaw, who had served three years in the U.S. Navy, was recently discharged and came Saturday night for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Whittington, en route to Flato visit his mother.

The Whittingtons had as their guests Sunday, their grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Stuart, Al and Phillip from Burnet. Mr. Stuart was a guest at the Natalia Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Clinton Dunn, who had been a patient in Bexar County Hospital for treatment, was released to convalesce at his home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jordan, Michael and Bryan from SA were out Sunday for the afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Genevieve Day.

Miss Gloria Gay Armke had as her weekend houseguests, Miss Janice Lamm from Lytle, Debbie Walker and Gloria Hickman.

Mrs. Claude Davis went to SA Sunday afternoon for a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis, Shelly and Michael.

Mrs. R. W. Crawford had as her guests from Saturday noon until Sunday afternoon, her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel B. Smith, Linda and Bret from Lake Travis, near Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Turner of SA were out Sunday for the day. Mrs. Turner is the

former Verna Crawford.

Leroy L. Armke is now at home after enjoying a week at Balmorhea hunting.

He reports getting a 7-point buck

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Edwards, Brenda, Laurie, Noel and Holly and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Steffens, Cessia and Brenda of SA were out Friday night to attend church services at the Natalia Baptist Church. After church they visited Mrs. Edwards' brother and family, the W. D. Sullivans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hurry had as their guests Sunday afternoon, her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Parr from SA.

Mrs. Leroy L. Armke and sons, James and Dayton, made a trip to Blanco Friday evening for the weekend with her mother, Mrs. John Jones. They were joined for the day on Saturday by Mrs. Armke's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Jay Armke and Amy Nadean from Leakey.

Miss Carolyn Hardin returned to Kingsville Monday to resume her studies at A&I University after having visited for several days with her mother, Mrs. Naomi Carter, Sandra Darrell and Cynthia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Yantis, Jr. honored their son, Mike, on his seventh birthday Saturday, Dec. 5, with a skating party at the local skating rink. Guests included the honoree, Edgar Yantis, Jesse Yantis, Jonathon Yantis, Brian Ross, Betty Ann Edwards, Dennis Traylor, Dale Edwards and Shown Jackson. Angel food cake decorated with yellow icing and punch were served.

Sr. entertained with a social at her home Tuesday morning. Guests included Mrs. Mary Garcia from Atascosa, Mrs. David Long, Angie and David, Jr. and Mrs. Marcelino Contreras from SA, Mrs. Daniel Vera, Mrs. Melton McMillan, Mrs. John L. Kempf, Mrs. Lupe Galvan, Mrs. Calvin A. Swenson and Merna and Mrs. Iven W. Thompson. Refreshments of chips, dips, cake, punch and coffee were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Hector Hernandez,

The Rev. F. E. Turner went to SA Tuesday for the night with his daughter and family, the Chester Clemmons and Karen.

Frank Chaney from Corpus Christi arrived Friday and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chaney.

## Happy Birthday!

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Mrs. T. J. Furniss
Sherrill Ann Moehring
Jesus Gallegos
Harold Faseler
Mrs. Bob Nations
Donna Leanne Neuman
DECEMBER 20
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Mrs. Emil Zinsmeyer
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Mrs. Mike Gilbert DECEMBER 21 John B. More Phyllis Ann Santleben Mrs. Wilbur Lindeburg

## Natalia 4-H meets

The Natalia 4-H Club meeting was brought to order by Sherry Turner at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, Nov. 23, at the school cafetorium.

The motto was given by Raymon Turner and the pledge was given by Billy Hartley. The club song was led by Debbie McDonald. Minutes were read by Sherry Turner and Glenn Bragg, County Agent, showed a film on horticulture.

Pat Eaves was program leader on citizenship.

Business was discussed.

New business was the Christmas party which was set for Tuesday, Dec. 21, after school at the school cafetorium. Gifts are not to cost over \$2.00.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Henry Elliott, Mrs. Bobbie Martin and Mrs. Marilyn Hildebrandt.

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Howard Douglas Saathoff
Olin Gilliam
Carol Anne Benson
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Timothy Jay Leinweber
Dennis C. Nietenhoefer
Barbara Jo Tondre
Mrs. John E. Neuman
Clara Beth Holder
Mrs. George Zinsmeyer
Sylvan Mangold
Laurie Ann Haass
David Benke
Mrs. Robert Halty
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Mrs. Pat Mangold

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Thomas Alan Graff

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Bobby Haby

Johnny Sue Reynolds

Mrs. John A. Gray

Mrs. O. J. Smith

Mrs. William Lutz
DECEMBER 25
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Ronald Stinson
Dale Lindeburg
Jo Ann O'Connell
Mrs. Alex Hutzler
Chris Salzman
Delfino Saucedo
Pete Calkins
Calvin J. Mangold, Jr.

Mrs. Christina Schueling

## Parents Stamp Out Drug Abuse With Facts



By Jerry Williamson Chief Of Police City of Hondo

Today's Subject: Know the Enemy

Professional boxers would never consider entering the ring with an opponent they knew nothing about. Prior to a fight, they study films of past fights the other boxer has had . . . every move . . . every attack, every method he uses in his battle tactics are carefully considered. Parents should realize that the battle against drug abuse for THEIR children must start early in life and it MUST start in the home! Therefore, parents must know everything about the enemy!

Part of the picture on drug abuse and how it spreads will be better understood if we all know something about the ADDICT. The average addict is infantile in his personality development. He is self-centered, lacks self-esteem and is easily depressed by reality. Narcotics, particularly heroin, give him a feeling of immediate gratification, displacing his frustration at failing to cope with the problems of everyday life. His outward facade of toughness is easily penetrated when he is not with his fellow junkies and he reveals a loneliness and a strong sense of dependency.

He is hostile and suspicious of those whom he considers part of the legitimate world. To him, they are "squares" and he bolsters his ego by pretending that he is smarter and better off in his little world than those in the community around him.

Now a great public health problem, addiction is a contagious disease, in a sense. The narcotic abuser has a need for companionship. He seeks to entice into the fold his friends, and he recruits others to his way of life. As deadily as a tuberculosis carrier, he infects his family and his close friends because of this need for companionship.

The initial contact with narcotics usually occurs very early in life. The average heroin addict starts his use of narcotics by smoking marijuana for "kicks", then perhaps has an occasional injection of heroin from simple curiosity or from fear of being called "chicken" by his so-called friends.

At this point he boasts that he can quit at any time, that "he can handle it." It is very tragic that soon he has developed a tolerance and must increase his dosage to gain the desired results. He becomes more and more dependent upon its effects, and now it becomes his only source of gratification in living.

This is the kind of person that may some day be trying to influence YOUR child. Knowledge of the facts will place your child in a position of superiority in such a situation . . . and, hopefully, keep him from the dangers of drug experimentation!

Next week, more on drugs, their misuse and abuse! Be

with me at that time, won't you?

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When all the hunter's talk is explained away, Cactus Pryor admits that he's really a conformist! A member of the deer hunting establishment! In a Texas Star feature, Sunday, December 19. Cactus will amuse you with stories of past deer hunts . . . advice on cleaning and cooking venison . . . and his defense of the hunter's right to man the deer blinds. Sunday's issue also highlights the Christmas season with Star Comments on O. Henry's "The Gift of the Magi", holiday recipes by Mary Faulk Koock, and "Christmas in the Confederacy". All this and much more in . . .





## Windows Enhance Beauty

By Barbara Fowler Medina County Home Demonstration Agent

Windows are important to the beauty and comfort of your home. They were likely planned to take advantage of

When selecting a window treatment, consider how the window must function, the secorative effect and the amount of money to be spent. Create harmony with color, line, pattern and texture, Establish good proporation and select suitable hardware.

Window treatments include glass curtains, draw or side draperies, blinds of metal, wood, bamboo and other materials, shades and shutters, To determine which one, or what combination to use, decide which can best regulate light, control air, veil or frame a view, provide privacy and unify a color scheme.

Windows are a part of the wall and should form a decorative and harmonious background for other room furnishings. When seen from the outside, window treatments

I'm Making A List

should be simple and related in color and design to the exterior design of the house.

quired to establish harmony of window treatment with walls, floors and furnishings. Color, texture, lines and shapes should be in keeping with the character of the room or area.

Window treatments play an important part in the color scheme of a room because of the large area they cover. It

may be desirable to repeat the main color in the room. Keeping the window treatment the same color as the walls helps give a more spacious appearance.

Interested in knowing more about window treatments? Contact Mrs. Barbara Fowler, County Home Demonstration Agent for information on obtaining colorful idea booklets and do-it-yourself instructions.

#### WITHHOLDING TAX MANDITORY FOR HELP

Household workers have been covered by the Social Security Act since 1951, according to Roy L. Swift, social security district manager. A domestic worker's cash wages for work in a private household are covered by the law if they amount to \$50 or more from one em-

Many situations have arisen where domestic emploand the most common reason ployers has been that their

quested that the social security tax not be withheld from requirements are met for domestic employees, reporting on a quarterly basis is man-

Your representative will be in Hondo at the City Hall at 8:45 a.m. Monday.

County Agents notes

Ranch. Mission officials have not spotted this area with extra numbers of steril

Producers are reminded to check livestock closely and send worm samples to Mission laboratory for positive identification. Producers should also delay any animal surgery until after frost if possible.

Glenn Bragg

Medina County

Agricultural Agent

Three screwworm cases

County the last two weeks in

were confirmed in the North-

western party of the county,

one on the Kelley Ranch and

one on the Valdina Ranch,

one on the Bonnard Rothe

were confirmed in Medina

October. The three cases

Conditions are ideal for screwworm outbreaks with moist conditions and luch grass growth. The screwworm threat will continue until after the first frost.

Clinics Livestock producers in Medina County who are in-

terested in actual in-depth field training in artificial insemination and pregnancy determination are invited to register now for one of the seven clinics being sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the American Breeders Association.

The clinics are scheduled as follows: San Angelo, November 9-12; Athens, Nov. 15-18; Sealy, Nov. 15-18; Mercedes, Dec. 13-16; Waco, March 13-16, 1972; Tyler, April 17-20; and Brenham, June 12-15.

Registration for the AI course is \$125 while the training in pregnancy determination is an additional

\$100. Additional information is available in the County Extension Office. Insect Control

Do you have an insect proglem in your home? Then take action against these unwanted pests. Some of the most troublesome pests are earwigs, crickets, pillbugs

and certain cockroaches.

Insecticides should be used only to control these insects and not as a preventative measure because of the possibility of an adverse effect on the environment.

A chloradane or diaginon spray applied to the outside foundation of your home will keep out most of these unwanted invaders. To control pests inside the home, use an approved commerical household formulation of insecticide.

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Spraying is the best method of killing the pests. Treat the outside walls and foundation from the window sill to the soil and about five to six inches of soil next to the foundation. Be sure to give cracks and crevices extra attention.

A new Extension Publication L-311 "Texas Guide for Controlling Household Insects" is available in the County Extension Office.

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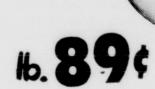
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